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1 AMENDMENT TO SENATE BILL XXXX

2 AMENDMENT NO. \_\_\_\_\_. Amend Senate Bill XXXX by replacing  
3 everything after the enacting clause with the following:

4 "Section 5. The Video Gaming Act is amended by adding  
5 Section 79 as follows:

6 (230 ILCS 40/79 new)

7 Sec. 79. Investigators. Investigators appointed by the  
8 Board pursuant to the powers conferred upon the Board by  
9 paragraph (20.6) of subsection (c) of Section 5 of the  
10 Riverboat Gambling Act and Section 80 of this Act shall have  
11 authority to conduct investigations, searches, seizures,  
12 arrests, and other duties imposed under this Act and the  
13 Riverboat Gambling Act, as deemed necessary by the Board. These  
14 investigators have and may exercise all of the rights and  
15 powers of peace officers, provided that these powers shall be  
16 (1) limited to offenses or violations occurring or committed in

1 connection with conduct subject to this Act, including, but not  
2 limited to, the manufacture, distribution, supply, operation,  
3 placement, service, maintenance, or play of video gaming  
4 terminals and the distribution of profits and collection of  
5 revenues resulting from such play, and (2) exercised, to the  
6 fullest extent practicable, in cooperation with the local  
7 police department of the applicable municipality or, if these  
8 powers are exercised outside the boundaries of an incorporated  
9 municipality or within a municipality that does not have its  
10 own police department, in cooperation with the police  
11 department whose jurisdiction encompasses the applicable  
12 locality.

13 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon  
14 becoming law."